

SC Annual School Report Card Summary

Cherrydale Elementary School
 Greenville County
 Grades: PK-5 Enrollment: 456
 Principal: Scarlet H. Black
 Superintendent: Mr. Burke Royster
 Board Chair: Mr. Chuck Saylor

PERFORMANCE

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YEAR	ABSOLUTE RATING	GROWTH RATING	PALMETTO GOLD AND SILVER AWARD		ESEA/FEDERAL ACCOUNTABILITY RATING SYSTEM	
			General Performance	Closing the Gap	ESEA Grade	Accountability Indicator
2013	Average	Average	TBD	TBD	B	Reward
2012	Average	Excellent	Gold	Silver	A	Reward
2011	Average	Average	Silver	Silver	Met	N/A

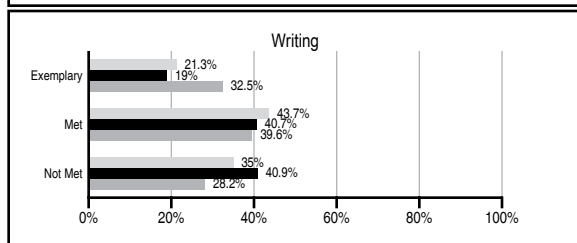
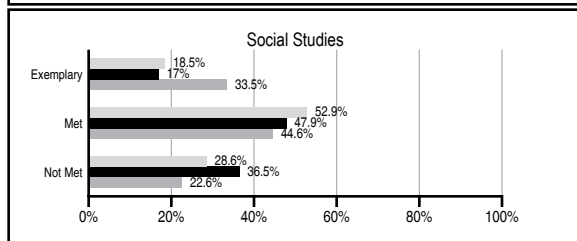
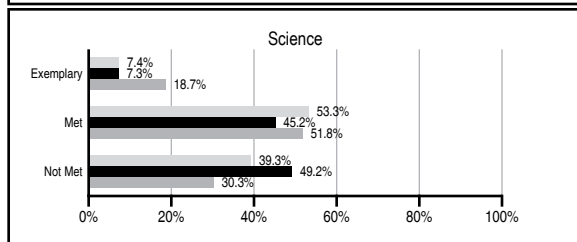
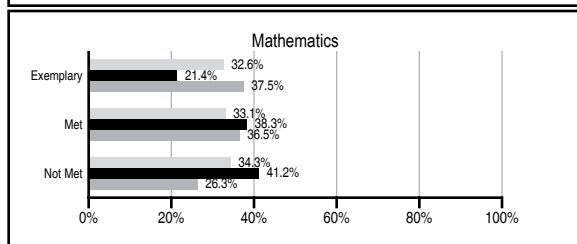
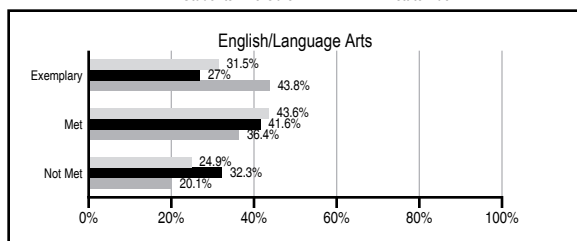
ABSOLUTE RATINGS OF ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS WITH STUDENTS LIKE OURS*

EXCELLENT	GOOD	AVERAGE	BELOW AVERAGE	AT-RISK
0	9	76	40	15

* Ratings are calculated with data available by 11/07/2013. Schools with Students Like Ours are Elementary Schools with Poverty Indices of no more than 5% above or below the index for this school.

PASS PERFORMANCE

Our School Elementary Schools with Students Like Ours Elementary schools statewide



NAEP PERFORMANCE*

* Performance reported for SC and nation, data not available at school level. Percentages at NAEP Achievement Levels.



SC PERFORMANCE VISION

By 2020 all students will graduate with the knowledge and skills necessary to compete successfully in the global economy, participate in a democratic society and contribute positively as members of families and communities.

Abbreviations Key

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SCHOOL PROFILE

	Our School	Change from Last Year	Elementary Schools with Students Like Ours	Median Elementary School
Students (n=456)				
Retention rate	1.1%	Down from 2.2%	1.1%	0.9%
Attendance rate	97.0%	Down from 97.5%	95.9%	96.3%
Served by gifted and talented program	2.4%	N/A	2.5%	7.2%
With disabilities	8.3%	N/A	13.5%	12.4%
Older than usual for grade	3.0%	N/A	2.9%	1.9%
Out-of-school suspensions or expulsions for violent and/or criminal offenses	0.0%	No Change	0.0%	0.0%
Teachers (n=35)				
Teachers with advanced degrees	42.9%	Up from 40.6%	60.0%	62.5%
Continuing contract teachers	65.7%	Down from 84.4%	74.2%	83.3%
Teachers returning from previous year	85.3%	Down from 88.8%	84.5%	88.3%
Teacher attendance rate	95.5%	Down from 97.3%	94.9%	95.0%
Average teacher salary*	\$43,266	Up 4.6%	\$45,938	\$48,193
Classes not taught by highly qualified teachers	0.0%	No Change	0.0%	0.0%
Professional development days/teacher	9.7 days	Up from 6.5 days	10.4 days	11.0 days
School				
Principal's years at school	9.0	Up from 8.0	4.0	4.0
Student-teacher ratio in core subjects	17.4 to 1	Down from 19.3 to 1	17.8 to 1	20.1 to 1
Prime instructional time	91.5%	Down from 94.1%	89.6%	90.0%
Opportunities in the arts	Good	No Change	Good	Good
SACS accreditation	Yes	No Change	Yes	Yes
Parents attending conferences	100.0%	No Change	100.0%	100.0%
Character development program	Good	Down from Excellent	Excellent	Excellent
Dollars spent per pupil**	\$7,509	Up 0.5%	\$8,594	\$7,364
Percent of expenditures for instruction**	64.0%	Down from 65.7%	66.5%	68.0%
Percent of expenditures for teacher salaries**	63.0%	Down from 63.6%	63.5%	66.0%
ESEA composite index score	88.0	Down from 94.4	68.1	88.0

* Length of contract = 185+ days.

** Prior year audited financial data available.

EVALUATION RESULTS

	Teachers	Students*	Parents*
Number of surveys returned	34	55	29
Percent satisfied with learning environment	79.4%	76.3%	82.8%
Percent satisfied with social and physical environment	85.3%	85.7%	77.4%
Percent satisfied with school-home relations	82.4%	85.8%	74.2%

*Only students at the highest elementary school grade level at this school and their parents were included.

REPORT OF PRINCIPAL AND SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL

Cherrydale Elementary School earned a grade of "A" on the state's new accountability rating for schools. Cherrydale also earned a growth rating of "Excellent" on the 2012-13 state's school report card and received Gold and Silver Palmetto Awards for student achievement. The Gold Award and the "Excellent" growth rating on the state's school report card were firsts in the school's history. In 2011-12, the school earned two silver Palmetto Awards. These, too, were firsts in the school's history. Cherrydale continues to be a school to watch in 2013-14 as we prepare for implementation of the new Common Core standards and continue to provide great learning initiatives for our students. Again, this year, the school also earned another star rating for energy conservation and was nationally certified as a Duke Energy Star rated school. Character Education continues to be a focus embedded into Cherrydale's total curriculum and helps to promote a school environment centered on great instruction and student learning. At Cherrydale, we believe, that all children are empowered to believe in themselves and achieve. At Cherrydale, we believe, that "every day brings a new success!"

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SIC Chairperson Name: Jennifer Hill

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